

Free Family Fun: We'd love to have your help. Most of the games only require a person that will keep score and pass out tickets to the winner. You could easily sit to do this, if you wanted. Our ministry teams are working together to create this fun family outdoor event on Saturday, August 7 from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. as we kick off the fall. We will have inflatables, games, crafts, and food. We will have the Free Clothing Closet at this same time. There are plenty of places available for you to help with this fun event! If you are interested in helping please sign up on the connect card attached to the Sunday bulletin, left the office know, or you can sign up online at www.collegemethodist.org. The sign up to help with Free Family Fun is on the home page and events page. To sign up to help with the Clothing Closet is on the missions page. Invitation postcards are available in the magazine rack on the first floor.

Clothing Donations: We have begun accepting clothing donations for the Clothing Closet. Clothing can be dropped off in the gathering area during office hours, Wednesday afternoon until 7:30 p.m., and on Sunday mornings. Please DO NOT leave any clothing outside. We especially need children and youth size clothing.

Upper Room: The July/August Upper Room is available in the magazine rack on the first floor.

Diapers: One of our church members needs diapers for a boy, size newborn and up. A collection box will be on the mission table at the back of the sanctuary.

TV Stand: One of our church members is looking for a tv stand for a large flat screen tv.

Summer Youth Group Schedule: We're mixing things up & having some fun. We generally take off during the month of July, but we've missed so much time together over the last year that we decided to do something different.

July 7 – Triopoly Competition (like Monopoly only cooler!) Also fair week

July 14 – Movie Night (The Case for Christ). We will go until 8 p.m. this night

July 21 & July 28 – Movie Discussion

Prophets In The Bible: Begins Wednesday, August 4 at 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Led by Keith Lane

Loads of Love: We will be at the Warrenton Laundromat this Saturday, July 10 from 2 p.m. – 4 p.m. to assist people with their laundry services. You are invited to join the outreach team and meet some of the people in the community while lending a helping hand. The quarter tube is located on the mission table in the sanctuary on Sundays to collect quarters. You are also welcome to bring your quarters to the church office during office hours.

Office Hours

While we continue to search for a new administrative secretary our church office is being staffed with volunteers Tuesday – Friday from 9 a.m. – Noon. Dawn Martin, Children & Youth Ministries Director, is in the building on Wednesdays from early afternoon – 7:30 p.m. If you know someone you think would be interested in the job, a full job description as well as directions on how to apply can be found on the church web site at <https://bit.ly/3ncSgeb>

Coming Up

A full calendar of events can be found on the church web site at: <https://www.collegemethodist.org/events/#CALENDAR>

Today – July 7

Youth Group (Grades 6 – 12) at 6 p.m. Triopoly Competition
Narcotics Anonymous at 7 p.m. in Fellowship Hall

Thursday, July 8

Kids Club (Grades K – 5) online via Zoom at 4 p.m. Topic: Catching Fish

Saturday, July 10

Load of Love at Warrenton Laundromat 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Sunday, July 11

Worship at 10 a.m. Sermon: "Earnest Money"

Men's Small Group at 8:45 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall
Women's Small Group at 8:45 a.m. in the Gathering Area
Children's Small Group (Grades K – 5) at 10 a.m. in Room 104. Series: Heaven

Monday, July 12

Prayer & Meditation Small Group 1 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. in the Gathering Area
Al-Anon at 7 p.m.

Wednesday, July 14

Youth Group (Grades 6 – 12) at 6 p.m. Movie: The Case For Christ
Narcotics Anonymous at 7 p.m. in Fellowship Hall

Worship

Sundays at 10 a.m. in-person at church and on Facebook Live. The recorded service can be viewed on the website at <https://www.collegemethodist.org/>, which is generally available by early Sunday afternoon.

Tithes & Offerings

You can bring them with you to worship, mail them to the church at 701 E Main St., Warrenton MO 63383, or give online at https://tithe.ly/give_new/www/#/tithely/give-one-time/3111252. There is a link to the online giving on the church web site.

Orange Bags: Have you picked up an orange Agape bag for July. Bags are located on the mission table in the sanctuary and on the welcome desk as you come in the door. Fill your bag with food and return it back to church. The mission team will take care of getting the food to Agape.

Moser receipts: If you shop at Moser's, bring your receipt and place it in the container in the sanctuary. We turn the receipts in to Agape who in turn receives funds from Moser's based on the amount of the receipt.

Hygiene Items: We are collecting travel or hotel size shampoo and soap to be given to the homeless in the community.

Epworth in Urgent Need of Donations: On June 29th our youth are moving into our new Transitional Living Program facility and we are in desperate need of donations. We ask you to take a look at our Amazon Wishlist linked below. Donating these items will make the facility feel more like home to our youth going through this transition. Monetary donations will also be heavily appreciated, which you can donate through our website.

We are asking for donations to be made by June 28th at the very latest! https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/2ZAQPO0R7IIE2/ref=smi_ge_rl_rd_gw?encoding=UTF8&ref=smi_se_cl_rd_ge

Lay Servant Class: Leading Prayer: Title of Class: Public Prayer, Virtual via Zoom. Summary of Class: Praying in public can be daunting, but prayer is something one learns. This course on praying in public will help the participant grow in confidence and skill in public prayer and enrich their personal prayer life. Description: This class will be hosted by the Northwest District office and offered virtually via Zoom. Please ensure you can attend each class, held Wednesdays in the month of July (14, 21, 28) and August (4, & 11) from 6:30 – 8:30 PM. This class will be taught by Rev. Sherry Oxandale, Associate Pastor at First Kearney UMC in the Northwest District. Participants will need the book "Shaping the Prayers of the People: The Art of Intercession" by Samuel Wells and Abigail Kocher. It is available through [Cokesbury](#), and [Amazon](#). Participants are responsible for purchasing the book before class. Please read Chapters 1 & 2 prior to the first class. There will be reading and/or coursework each week. There are no prerequisites required to take this course. It counts as an advanced lay servant ministry class upon completion. Attendance at each class is required to receive completion status. We can host up to 20 participants, and registration will close by end of day June 30, 2021. Plan to have your book, a notebook, a pen and your bible with you at each class. You will receive the class Zoom link one week prior to the start of class. <https://www.moumethodist.org/eventdetail/nw-lay-servant-leading-prayer-online-15233865>

Manchester's "Race & Education in St. Louis" - July 11: Manchester UMC is sponsoring a community conversation on race and education in the St. Louis region. A panel of local experts will discuss timely topics, including: What actually is "Critical Race Theory"? What does diversity education look like? Why are we still talking about race? A Q&A session will follow the panel. Attend this free learning opportunity in person or online. All are welcome! Time: 7 to 8:30p Location: Manchester UMC (Near the intersection of Hwy 141 & Manchester Road) and Live Stream. Guest Panel: Dr. Howard Fields III, Dr. Sarah Riss, Nick Reinhardt-Swiek. Moderator: State Representative Trish Gunby. <https://manchesterumc.org/education/>